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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Jerrell P. Hein et al.

Filed: March 4, 1998

For: Separation of Ring Detection Functions Across Isolation Barrier for Minimum Power

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

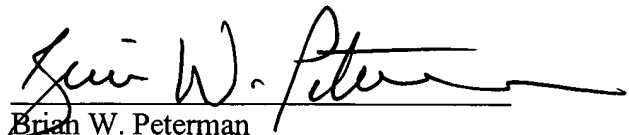
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Copies of the listed documents are attached as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

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Applicant respectfully requests that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Brian W. Peterman", written over a horizontal line.

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